



DeKalb County Government

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Agenda Item

File ID: 2023-

Walk-On Item

11/8/2023

Public Hearing: YES NO

Department: Board of Commissioner - District 2

SUBJECT:

Commission District(s): All Commission Districts

Resolution Urging the DeKalb County Governing Authority to Support the DeKalb County Animal Services Advisory Board's *Plan for a Better Tomorrow*

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PURPOSE:

To urge the DeKalb County Governing Authority to support the DeKalb County Animal Services Advisory Board's Plan for a Better Tomorrow.

NEED/IMPACT:

The DeKalb County Animal Services Advisory Board (DCASAB) advances humane and healthy treatment of animals and advises DeKalb, the Governing Authority and Animal Services on the welfare of animals. DCASAB has worked to develop common sense solutions to address the current Animal Services challenges. DCASAB developed the 5-point *Plan for a Better Tomorrow* to address shelter space, staffing needs, resources and support for pet families, to develop new legislation, and to reduce court-held animal delays.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact.

RECOMMENDATION:

To approve the resolution urging the DeKalb County Governing Authority to support the DeKalb County Animal Services Advisory Board's Plan for a Better Tomorrow and authorize the Chief Executive Officer to execute all necessary documents.